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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated February 4, 2005, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 69-73, 75,77 and 78.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$500 to cover the fees for this appeal and to charge the deposit account for any further fees in regard to this patent application. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed for this purpose.

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